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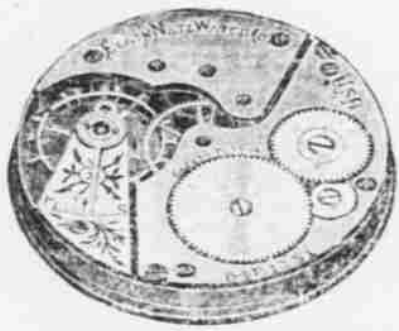
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Watches for boys, handsome in design, reliable and durable. Prices reasonable and within the reach of all. Beautiful jewelry, cut glass, diamonds and silverware.

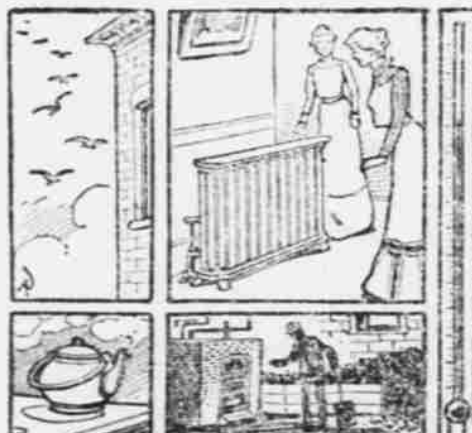
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Here Is the Heater

That will double your comfort and divide your coal bills. The "Jewel" is made in several sizes, all constructed on the same principle—the principle that gives it the power to burn with economy of fuel. Come and examine them.



For Cold Weather

There's nothing equal to "Our Own" system of steam and hot water heat. It costs a little more to put it in, but costs less to operate. It's convenient, clean, reliable and satisfactory. Call in and let us tell you more about it, and show you how easily you can make the change.

## Allen, Myers & Company

Opposite Harper House.

1821 SECOND AVE

## BURGLARS IN TOWN

Three Homes on Seventeenth Street Are Ransacked Last Night.

PROPERTY WORTH \$200 TAKEN

Thieves Get Away, But Are Seen—Counterfeiter Captured.

Rock Island's long period of immunity from the operations of house-breakers came to an end last evening when the double house on Seventeenth street and Eleventh avenue, occupied by Henry Tremann, Ald. C. E. Willis and Warren Anderson, was ransacked and booty to the value of \$200 carried off.

The robbery was committed about 7 o'clock when the house was unoccupied, entrance being made through a rear door, apparently by the use of a skeleton key. Two men, one tall and the other short, were seen in the neighborhood just before dark, and James Mott saw a small man leaving the house shortly before 8 o'clock. Ald. Willis returned home at 8 o'clock and notified the police, who failed to find any definite clue.

Tremann's Heaviest Losses.

Mr. and Mrs. Tremann were the heaviest losers. Diamond pin and necklace, a ladies' gold watch, a collection of valuable coins and clothing, including a new overcoat, being taken. Anderson lost a revolver and a gold ring. Willis' apartments were searched, but nothing valuable, so far as is known, was secured.

HE MADE BOGS MONEY.

Alfred Muhlenmann Arrested for Passing "Queer" Quarters.

Officer John Schmid late Saturday night captured a counterfeiter in the person of Alfred Muhlenmann, an employee at the steel mills. Word was received in the evening by the police that counterfeit 25-cent pieces had been passed in a number of saloons and Officer Schmid went out on the case. He found his man in Eve De Munnick's saloon on Twenty-second street and Third avenue, and arrested him just after he had passed a coin. One "queer" quarter was found on his person, and about forty others are known to have been passed. After his arrest Muhlenmann virtually admitted having made the bogus coin. The imitation was very close, the stuff being only slightly deficient in weight and jingle. Muhlenmann has served in the regular army. His father lives south of Milan.

Capt. Porter, of the government secret service, and a United States marshal will arrive from Peoria tomorrow morning to take the prisoner to that place to be tried in the federal court.

A MAGNETIC HEALER IS PLACED UNDER FIRE.

The state board of health is on the track of Prof. C. A. Lundgren, the magnetic healer, located in the Rosenstein building, Moline. Suit has been brought against him for practicing medicine without a license. The title of the suit is The People of the State of Illinois vs. C. A. Lundgren. This suit is brought by Attorney Meese for the state board of health, under the state law, and is in the nature of a civil proceeding. In case Prof. Lundgren should be found guilty and fail to pay the fine imposed by the state law, he would be sent to the county jail. The case will be heard in the court of Justice Gould, before whom it is returnable next Friday.

There have been stories for some weeks past to the effect that Prof. Lundgren has had too many boy visitors, and that he has been exercising an undue influence over them, hypnotizing them and causing them to do whatever he would have them do. He was alleged to have exercised influence over the Brooks boy, recently sent to the industrial school at Glenwood, and others. The board of education took the matter up, and it was found that no city ordinance seemed to have been violated. The matter was next referred to the state board of health, with the result that the suit referred to above has been brought.

Wife Asks Divorce.

Agnes De Rudder today filed a bill of divorce from Henry De Rudder. The couple live in this city and were married in 1896. The defendant is charged with intemperance.

Painters' Attention.

All members of the Painters' union, No. 181, are requested to be at their hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 18. By order of the president.

Just Saved His Life.

It was a thrilling escape that Charles Davis, of Bowerston, O., lately had from a frightful death. For two years a severe lung trouble constantly grew worse until it seemed he must die of consumption. Then he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and lately wrote: "It gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Such wonderful cures have for 25 years proven its power to cure all throat, chest and lung troubles. Price 50 cents and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Hartz & Ullmeyer's drug store.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

## DAY'S OBITUARY RECORD.

Miss Mina B. Robinson Succumbs to Operation—Funerals.

Miss Mina B. Robinson died at 10:30 Sunday night at St. Anthony's hospital from complications following an operation for appendicitis that she underwent a few weeks ago in Chicago. She returned to Rock Island Sunday, Dec. 9. Miss Robinson was a native of this city and 31 years of age. She was a daughter of Mrs. Sarah E. Robinson, who survives with one sister and three brothers: Mrs. M. E. Sweeney, and E. W. Frank and Leon E. Robinson. Deceased was formerly stenographer at the Harper house, going to Chicago several months ago to accept a similar position. Sorrow and sympathy will attend the announcement of her death. The funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of M. E. Sweeney, 1002 First avenue.

The remains of Mrs. Mary Apple were buried yesterday at Chippianock. Funeral services were held at the residence, 903 First avenue, at 1:30 and at the Swedish Lutheran church at 2 o'clock, being conducted by Rev. C. E. Slatt. The pallbearers were Charles Carlson, Oscar Carlson, Andrew Anderson, Nels Swanson, Nels Swanson and C. F. Mathurose.

## PERSONAL POINTS.

Mrs. F. C. Hemenway visited at Hampton today.

Clyde Horne, of Peoria, visited over Sunday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wilson, of Rural, were in the city today.

Norman Woodin returned this morning from a visit at Peoria.

Miss Mary Stombs has returned home after a week's visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Sophia Stott has been called to Chicago by the illness of her daughter.

Mrs. J. G. Baer, who underwent an operation six weeks ago, has recovered.

C. J. Searle attended a meeting of the trustees of the Northern Illinois Normal at Macomb today.

D. H. Gillett, of St. Edwards, Neb., and Miss Burnham, of Ridgebury, Penn., left for the east today after visiting with Mrs. J. H. Park.

## FEDERATION OF EMPLOYES.

Railroad Men Hold an Important Meeting.

There was a meeting of the railway men in Bloomington the other day, the object of which seems to have been to federate the employees. The great brotherhoods are working in substantial union, but there is no federation making the interests of one the interests of all. Strict secrecy was maintained by the participants, and none of the details was allowed to leak out. It is, however, understood that there is to be a grievance executive board composed of representatives of the engineers, firemen, trainmen, conductors and telegraphers. All troubles are thus to be handled in the interest of all. It is not known what effect this could possibly have on the brotherhoods themselves, but that part of the plan may be revealed later on.

Edens a Candidate.

The friends of W. G. Edens, of Galesburg, are pushing his claim to the office of assistant postmaster-general. Mr. Edens is well known here. Years ago he was prominent in the councils of the Railroad Trainmen. He was an active McKinley campaigner during the presidential contest of 1896, and later one of the managers of the rural free delivery system. He is a young man, active and energetic.

The Modern Mother.

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy, than by any other. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup company only.

A Good Present for Boys.

People's Standard history, U. S., \$18.

Mark Twain, Life on the Mississippi, 75 cents.

Hundreds of other books to select from.

L. E. Waterman's fountain pens, \$1.25 to \$4.

Pocket diary 1901.

Kodak album.

Game board, 40 games, \$2.50.

Crokinole \$1.25.

All the popular games, 5 cents to \$1.50.

Rapid air rifles, all metal, full nickel, the newest and the best, \$1.25.

Chess, checkers, dominoes.

Drawing sets 75 cents to \$5.

Blackboards.

Magic lanterns.

R. CRAMPTON & CO.

Both makers and circulators of counterfeits commit fraud. Honest men will not deceive you into buying worthless counterfeits of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The original is infallible for curing piles, sores, eczema and all skin diseases. B. H. Bieber, Hartz & Ullmeyer.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing, is requested to call and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It always gives relief. For sale by all druggists.

When you want prompt acting little pills that never gripe use DeWitt's Little Early Risers. B. H. Bieber, Hartz & Ullmeyer.

## COMES TO NEW HOME

Lightning Medicine Company Moving From Muscatine to Rock Island.

LOCATES IN INDUSTRIAL BUILDING

Two Cars of Effects Arrive—All Will Be Here the Present Week.

The Lightning Medicine company has broken housekeeping at Muscatine, and is getting its furniture and stock to Rock Island, its new home, as rapidly as possible. A carload of the company's effects and a car of the material that the company deals in have arrived, and by the end of this week it expects to be settled in its new quarters in the industrial home building.

The Muscatine Mail of Saturday says:

"The Lightning Medicine company moved to Rock Island this week. It had been known for several weeks that Davenport and Rock Island had been offering inducements for this company to locate there, but it was thought that Muscatine would not let her sister cities get the institution. Although but a few years old, the Lightning Medicine company was doing an immense business and was considered the foremost patent medicine house of the west. So fast had the business increased that it had outgrown its quarters and the management had planned to erect a 3-story brick building for a home. Our sister cities, ever on the lookout for prosperous institutions of various kinds, heard of the Lightning Medicine company's intentions and at once set out to get the company to locate there, with the result stated above. It appears that little or no effort was made to keep the company here, and as a result Muscatine loses another manufacturing plant, and with it will go a number of families, who had the proper steps been taken, would still be citizens of Muscatine."

Valuable Enterprise.

"The Lightning Medicine people are heavy advertisers, and their attractive paper is scattered from coast to coast, followed by a number of traveling salesmen the year round. All this has helped advertise Muscatine and benefited the city. Muscatine loses what promises to be the biggest medicine concern of the west, and Rock Island gets the plant because the business men there wanted it. They thought it was a good thing and we can truthfully say that it is. Manager George Gruber has placed this company where it is and Rock Island will find it a pleasant company to do business with. The loss of this splendid company should be a warning to Muscatine to look well after her interests and not allow any more of her institutions to slip away."

## AN INJUNCTION DISSOLVED.

A Settlement is Reached in the Hampton Road Case.

A settlement has been effected between the highway commissioners of Hampton and the D. R. I. N. W. in regard to the construction of the overhead crossing where the railroad's operations were stopped last week by an injunction. The length of the middle span across the wagon road will be increased from 16 to 18 feet.

Will of Louise Oberdorfer.

The will of the late Louise Oberdorfer was probated today. The home property and most of the personal effects are left to Miss Anna Mary Geier, niece of the deceased. The sum of \$2,500 is given in trust to Irvin S. White to hold for the benefit of parties not named in the will. The remaining property is to be converted into cash and held by Miss Geier for the benefit of her mother, whose home is in Tazewell county, Ill. Irvin S. White is named as the sole executor without bond.

Circuit Court.

Judge Gest overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of Mielow vs. Schnell Saturday afternoon and judgment was entered for the amount of the finding against the defendant. Court was adjourned till tomorrow morning, when it is expected the term will be closed.

Brave Men Fall.

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. J. W. Gardner, of Idaville, Ind., says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he don't care whether he lives or dies. It gave me new strength and good appetite. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents, at Hartz & Ullmeyer's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

For Pneumonia.

Dr. C. J. Bishop, Agnew, Mich., says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." For sale by all druggists.

A cold, cough or la grippe can be "nipped in the bud" with a dose or two of Foley's Honey and Tar. Beware of substitutes. There is nothing so good. For sale by all druggists.

Christmas at

## McCABE'S.

Last week. Only six more shopping days till Christmas. Do your looking, make your purchases early, while our splendid holiday stocks are large and while you can buy in comfort.

The Store Will Be Open Every Evening Till Christmas.

**The Jewelry Department**  
is offering real Christmas bargains in watches and diamonds. For instance, men's watches fitted with the celebrated Elgin movements at..... **\$6.50**

**Christmas Books.**  
5,000 popular books by famous authors at always the lowest prices. Story books for boys and girls 25c and..... **15c**  
Gift top 12 mo. books by popular authors only..... **19c**  
Other books in proportion.

**The Crockery Department**  
is making a great effort this season. Never before have we shown such a wealth of dainty and useful gift pieces at most popular prices. For instance, handsome reading lamps, richly decorated, all complete for..... **67c**

**Perfumery.**  
Special display of holiday novelties in this department. Lundborg's famous bulk odors at the very low price..... **38c**  
Handsome gift packages of perfume as low as..... **10c**

**Men's Neckties**  
mullers, fancy boxed suspenders, etc., make this a good place to buy presents for men.  
We have just placed on sale over 1,000 men's neckties at about half regular prices. You should call early for your share of them.

**The Toy Basement**  
is a busy bargain place these days. Our selling space is not as large as we would like, but this is more than made up by the lower prices on everything—dolls, games, toys of all kinds, etc. Of course you'll visit the toy basement before you buy.

**There is a Sensational Sale of Silks**

that will make many a useful and inexpensive gift. Beautiful evening shades of satin duchess and also colors in plain taffeta silks at only, per yard..... **48c**  
You know the saving here.

**The Dress Goods Department**  
has made a great display of dress patterns in gift boxes. They are selling them as low as \$1.98 for the whole dress length.

Two special lots of Petticoats at \$1.18 and \$1.00, worth much more. Very handsome Silk Dress Skirts at \$8.50, worth a great deal more. Special Silk Waist sale at..... **\$2.87**  
Dressing Saques at..... **1.00**

**The Cloak Department**  
as usual comes to the front with useful Christmas gifts at low prices. Furs at \$1.75, \$1.85, \$2.17 and..... **\$2.98**  
Two splendid lines of jackets at \$7.62 and..... **5.00**

**Christmas Rugs.**  
Best kind of gifts. We have slashed prices to the quick.  
\$2.50 all wool Princess Smyrnas..... **1.68**  
\$3.00 Moquettes, very handsome **1.78**  
Etc., Etc., Etc.

**Christmas Linens.**  
The department overflows with good gifts. One of them: 50c per yard for your pick of six choice numbers of full bleached table damask. **50c**

**Some Chair Bargains**  
That you ought to investigate. For instance, Solid Oak, large arm, Leather Seat Rockers..... **1.97**

## Gift Things at Handy Prices

MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS,  
BOYS' SUITS AND REEFERS,  
FANCY VESTS AND MUFFLETS,  
FANCY SHIRTS AND HOSE,  
SATCHEL AND SUIT CASES,  
HATS, SOFT AND STIFF,  
SWEATERS,  
FANCY SUSPENDERS AND GLOVES,  
UMBRELLAS AND CANES,  
NECKWEAR, COLLARS AND CUFFS.

As Complete a Line of Furnishings and Clothing as Can be Found in the City.

## SOMMERS & LAVELLE.

1802 Second Avenue.

One Price.

## FOR CHRISTMAS TIDE



and the holidays, and winter time generally, we have provided for you the finest chevots, oxfords, fancy tweeds and cassimeres it was ever your privilege to see at E. J. Dorn's. Goes without saying that we know how to make them up—just wanted you to know what's here.

## Dorn, the Tailor.

1812 Second Avenue.

## CHRISTMAS MILLINERY

Any lady would be delighted to receive one of our stunning millinery creations for a Christmas gift. We are selling all of our hats and children's poke bonnets for the holiday season at money saving prices. Make your selection now and we will keep them for you until you are ready for them.

## Brandenburg Millinery Store.

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